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Title : Circuit Configuration for Level Boosting, in Particular for Driving a Programmable Link

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

United States Patent No. 5,293,561 (Nizaka), dated March 8, 1994;

United States Patent No. 5,313,424 (Adams et al.), dated May 17, 1994;

United States Patent No. 6,222,384 B1 (Kim), dated April 24, 2001, which corresponds with German Published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 198 25 034 A1, dated April 15, 1999;

International Publication WO 98/35444 (Le et al.), dated August 13, 1998;

Joo-Sun Choi et al.: "Antifuse EPROM Circuit for Field Programmable DRAM", 2000 *IEEE International Solid-State Circuits Conference*, pp. 406-407;

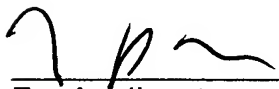
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German Examination Report dated June 27, 2003.

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